GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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CGHS DISPENSARIES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CGHS Dispensaries are less in number as compared to the units of ISM&H in Delhi;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) the reasons for the induction of Dispensary system and Unit system of ISM&H under the CGHS only; and

(d) the reasons for not considering to upgrade the standard of present units of ISM&H into a full fledged dispensary in Delhi?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

(SHRI N.T. SHANMUGAM)

(a) Yes, Sir. The number of ISM&H Dispensaries is less than the Units in ISM&H system.

(b)&(c): Initially, the dispensaries under ISM&H system of medicine were set up but subsequently the units were established considering the availability of infrastructure and resources.

(d) Pending SIU study of ISM&H dispensaries/units, it is not possible to upgrade them for the present.